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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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AFRODITE SEA TRADE S.A.,

07 CIV 5626 (DAB)

Plaintiff,

-against -

SHINE STAR SEA-TRANSPORT PTE. LTD.,  
NINGBO MINMETALS & MACHINERY IMP. &  
EXP. CORP., SHENYANG SANYO BUILDING  
MACHINERY CO. LTD., BENXI  
NORTHERN STEEL PIPES CO. LTD., and  
RILICO SINGAPORE PTE. LTD.,

**MOLINA AFFIDAVIT IN  
OPPOSITION TO MOTION  
TO VACATE OR TO  
REDUCE ORDER OF  
ATTACHMENT**

Defendants.

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State of New York )  
 ) ss.:  
County of New York )

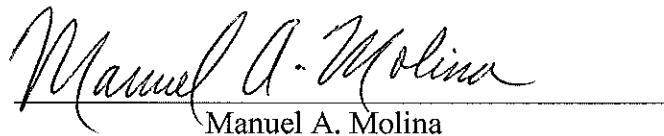
MANUEL A. MOLINA, being duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

1. I am a member of the Bar of the United States District Court, Southern District of New York, admitted to practice before this Court and I am an associate of the law firm of Freehill Hogan & Mahar, LLP, attorneys for Plaintiff AFRODITE SEA TRADE S.A.

2. This Affidavit is submitted in opposition to the motion of Defendant BENXI NORTHERN STEEL PIPES CO. LTD.

3. Annexed hereto as Exhibit A hereto is a copy of the Second Amended Verified Complaint filed in this action.

Dated: New York, New York  
March 24, 2008

  
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Manuel A. Molina

Sworn to before me this  
24 day of March, 2008

  
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Notary Public

HAZEL S. ROSENTHAL  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01RO4641178  
Qualified in Queens County  
Certified in New York County  
Commission Expires Dec. 31, 2010